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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

GARY A. BRIST, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/816,132

Filed: March 31, 2004

For: Carrier Substrate With A Thermochromatic  
Coating

Art Group: 1775

Examiner: Lam, Cathy Fong Fong

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to February 18, 2007, from the Final Office Action dated October 18, 2006. The petition filing fee of \$120.00 and Amendment and Response to Final Office Action are attached. (If a check is not attached, you are hereby authorized to charge deposit account no. 02-2666.)

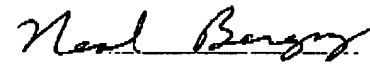
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Respectfully submitted,

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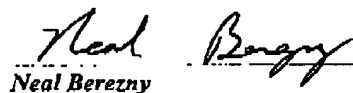
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